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In re Application of  
Robert P. Schnall  
Application No. 10/520,273  
Filed: January 18, 2005  
Attorney Docket No. 28657

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 18, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply to the final Office action mailed April 7, 2008. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on October 31, 2008.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) with the \$405 fee and the required submission under 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee of \$810; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay. Therefore, the petition is **GRANTED**.

This application file is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 3735 for processing of the RCE and for appropriate action by the Examiner in the normal course of business on the amendment submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.114.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.

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